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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

In response to the Notification of Defective Response mailed January 18, 2002, Applicants submit herein a copy of the Notification of Defective Response, Sequence Listing; Statement in Support of CRF; electronic copy of Sequence Listing (1 diskette); and Preliminary Amendment.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-referenced patent application are the following documents:

- 1. Response to Notice of Defective Response; (1 pg.);
- 2. Sequence Listing (14 pgs.)
 - Statement in Support of CRF; (1 pg.)
 - Electronic Copy of Sequence Listing; (1 diskette)
- 3. Preliminary Amendment; (2 pgs.); and
- 4. Return postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

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STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF COMPUTER READABLE FORM SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)

I hereby state that the content of the paper and computer readable forms of the Sequence Listing, submitted in the above-identified application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c) and 1.821(e), respectively, are the same.

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